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Leon DEGRELLE is currently in Madrid under the alias Juan SANCHEZ, although there are few people in the pro-German circles he frequents who are unaware of his true identity. He has a fairly good command of the Spanish language, and is devoting his time here to writing articles on the last World War. DEGRELLE has published several books under a pseudonym, which have enjoyed considerable success in Europe and have supplied him with a comfortable income. According to source, he is as strong an "anticommunist" as ever.

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